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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
DAVID W. SMITH

Serial No.: 09/225,388

Filed: January 5, 1999

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
PATTERN MATCHING ON SINGLE
AND MULTIPLE PATTERN
STRUCTURES

Group Art Unit: 2665

Examiner: Toan D. Nguyen

Atty. Dkt. No.: 2000.002500/TT2581

CUSTOMER NO. 23720

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted

i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed
on _____

(Any unentered amendments referred to above will be entered).

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ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously
filed on _____

iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
(IDS)

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declarations

iv. ☐ Other _____

2.

Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37
C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall
not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) **required**)

b. ☐ Other _____

3.

Fees

 The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
when the RCE is filed.

a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any
overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 01-0365/TT2581

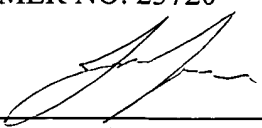
i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. ☐ Other _____

b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$790.00 enclosed for RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

<p>Date: <u>August 1, 2005</u></p>	<p>Respectfully submitted,</p> <p>WILLIAMS, MORGAN & AMERSON, P.C. CUSTOMER NO. 23720</p> <p>By: </p> <p>Jaison C. John, Reg. No. 50,737 10333 Richmond, Suite 1100 Houston, Texas 77042 (713) 934-7000 (713) 934-7011 (facsimile) ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT(S)</p>
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